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**North Dakota**  
*Office of the Governor*

**John Hoeven**  
*Governor*

PROCLAMATION  
**EDUCATION SUPPORT PROFESSIONALS DAY**  
NOVEMBER 18, 2009

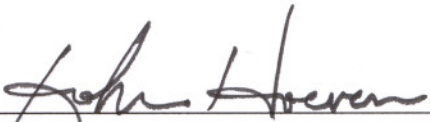
**WHEREAS**, education support professionals make up more than 40 percent of the total K-12 education workforce and are an important part of the school community; and

**WHEREAS**, every day, education support professionals impact the lives of our young people; and

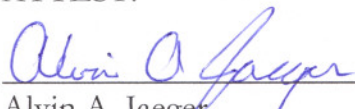
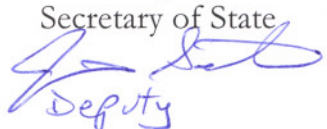
**WHEREAS**, education support professionals are essential partners in the education process and play a valuable role in public schools across our state; and

**WHEREAS**, education support professionals contribute to North Dakota's quality education system and fulfill important responsibilities as school bus drivers, cafeteria workers, paraeducators, school nurses, office assistants, technicians, custodians and security professionals.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim November 18, 2009, **EDUCATION SUPPORT PROFESSIONALS DAY** in the state of North Dakota.

  
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John Hoeven  
Governor

ATTEST:

  
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